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INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO. PCT/FR2003/002252	INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE 16 July 2003	PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED 19 July 2002
TITLE OF INVENTION DEVICE FOR INJECTING A PRODUCT, IN PARTICULAR FOR MEDICAL USE		
APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US VENDRINE, Lionel		
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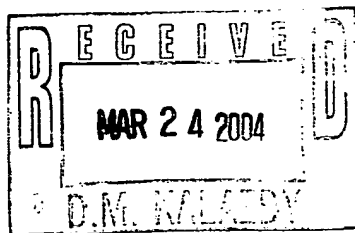
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Dear Mr FORTUNATO,

Further to your facsimile of March 17, 2003, please find enclosed a copy of the
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Yours faithfully,

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